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REFERENCES:

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Date:

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Field Office File #:

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Title:

[REDACTED]

Character:

BRIBERY

Synopsis:

General LUCIUS D. CLAY interviewed concerning his
contacts with the subject. [REDACTED]
furnished dates of his 1971 contacts with [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] the Pardon Attorney, and [REDACTED]

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DETAILS:

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Date of transcription 6/19/73

General LUCIUS D. CLAY, Senior Managing Director, Lehman Brothers, 1 Williams Street, after being advised of the identity of the interviewing agents and the nature of the inquiry, was placed under oath by Special Agent (SA) [redacted]

[redacted] Immediately thereafter, he voluntarily furnished the following information:

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His first contact with [redacted] was on June 25, 1972. [redacted] gave the impression he was representing JIMMY HOFFA and asked for an appointment, which was granted for the following day.

He met [redacted] for the first time at 2:30 PM on June 26, 1972, at his office. [redacted] appeared to have two reasons for the visit. First, [redacted] said a prominent man in Southern California, whose name he cannot recall, wanted to contribute \$50,000 or \$100,000 to the Republican Party and wanted to be considered for an ambassador. He believes he told [redacted] that the contribution probably would not affect the donor's being considered for an ambassador post.

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Also, [redacted] said JIMMY HOFFA was in a position to talk with people in Hanoi regarding the release of prisoners of war and a cease-fire, but he needed a passport and the restrictions lifted from his commutation of sentence. He told [redacted] that he should talk to either the Secretary of State or HENRY KISSINGER. [redacted] thanked him and said he would call General CLAY and let him know what happened.

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[redacted] came to his office again on July 21, 1972. This visit had no obvious motivation. [redacted] engaged in general conversation about HOFFA's proposed trip to Hanoi and said [redacted] would probably be against the trip. This seemed to worry [redacted] because he said [redacted] was a good friend of President NIXON and this could hurt HOFFA's chances of going to Hanoi.

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On August 21, 1972, [redacted] called his office, but he was not in. [redacted] left a message that he would call again on August 23, 1972, but he has no record that [redacted] did call on that date. He has had no further contact with [redacted]

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Interviewed on 6/12/73 at New York, New York File # NY 58-1338
by SAs [redacted] Date dictated 6/15/73

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